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The following is the report of Promotion Secretary Wood for the current week:

Chairman and Members of the Hawaii Promotion Committee:

Dear Sirs—I am pleased to be able to report that the 1500 circulars sent out concerning health conditions, noting the end of the slight cholera epidemic and dwelling upon the plans in hand having for their object the making of and keeping Honolulu the cleanest port in the Pacific, have had the desired effect. Railway and steamship men and excursion agents from all over the United States and Canada are sending in their acknowledgments of the receipt of the letter stating that they were glad to get the information and would give it wide publicity.

We shall follow up this work by sending out several hundred marked copies of the daily papers describing "Cleanup Day" to the leading papers of the United States and Canada and to different interested parties.

Sending Papers Away.

By the "Nippon Maru" we are sending marked copies of our daily papers referring to the observance of coronation day in Honolulu to the leading daily and weekly papers of Great Britain and Ireland. We shall also send the same matter to the leading publications in all of the British colonies.

By the "Wilhelmina" this week we forwarded 5000 folders and by the "Sierra" 5000 to our different distributing agencies along the Pacific Coast, mailing as well about one thousand copies of different addresses. We also send out a large number of our "Crossroads" map in response to requests.

By the "Marama" today we are forwarding some 2000 folders to the South Seas and as far as Colombo.

I have also to report the receipt of a new supply of folders from the different tourist bureaus of Australia, and would at this time again call attention to the albums of magnificent photographs of Australia, New Zealand, Ceylon, Java and other parts of the Pacific displayed in our rooms. We are adding to the collection right along and will soon make the Library of Albums as complete and valuable as our Library of Directories.

More Lectures Than Ever.

By the "Nippon Maru" we are sending a set of lantern slides to Miss Elizabeth Hardaway, who is well known in Honolulu and who can be depended upon to do good work for Hawaii throughout the Middle West. More lectures are being given on Hawaii throughout the United States this summer than ever before. The Promotion Committee has furnished hundreds of slides for these lectures and has had printed a great many thousand special leaflets to be given away at the lectures, but the seed is being well sown and at small cost. The returns will be noted next winter.

To the South we also have lecturers whose theme is Hawaii.

The following report from Mrs. Metta S. Mack of the use she made of the slides which were recently loaned her will be read with interest.

"Before leaving for a month's stay at Alewa Heights, I will give you a brief outline of my trip through the States last summer.

"Leaving your beautiful city on the 9th of last August with my daughter Edith, whom I left in school at Cleveland, Ohio, we arrived in San Francisco on schedule time, after a most delightful voyage.

"One of the first things I learned on my arrival was that I was booked to give a stereopticon lecture in Grace M. E. church on the following Tuesday night. The tickets were already on sale. I might add just here that this was to be a benefit for the Ellen Stark Ford Home, a home under the same bureau as the one I am superintending here.

"At the close of this lecture—my first attempt in this line—a pastor of one of the Oakland churches came forward to express his enjoyment and appreciation of what he had been listening to, and to engage me for the same lecture to be given in his church on my return trip.

"Since I was delayed in San Francisco longer than had been expected, I was unable to meet all the engagements that had been made for me en route, but my next stop was in Manhattan, Kansas. This place is the site of the Kansas State Agricultural College, one of the largest and finest in the States. Here I gave a lecture in the Congregational Church, which was the largest one owning a lantern. The lecture was a union affair and the pastors of both the Methodist and the Congregational churches were exceedingly kind and used their influence

toward making it a success. The house was crowded and many were the questions asked concerning the place, people and conditions existing here. All who saw the pictures hoped to some day have the good fortune to see for themselves our beautiful Paradise of the Pacific.

"I will not take the time to tell you of all the places where I spoke and showed the pictures, but Washington, D. C.; Watertown, N. Y.; Aurora and Cleveland, Ohio, are among the list. All the pastors of the churches where I spoke wished there were churches and pastorsates sufficient to go around, and everywhere, without a single exception, all who heard me speak on the islands were delighted with the descriptions and the pictures. In fact, I could have arranged engagements up to the present time, I am quite sure, had I been able to do so. As it was, I had a long list, which, owing to my serious illness in November, had to be canceled, to the great disappointment of those who had arranged for me to give the lectures as well as my own. In one case the tickets had been printed and were being distributed when the news of my sickness came and the tickets had to be recalled.

"I spent two weeks in Los Angeles and a lecture was arranged for and advertised to be given in the First M. E. Church while I was there. This had to be given up owing to the terrific floods which made their appearance at that time.

"While in Los Angeles I had the pleasure of hearing Mrs. Frances Headlee, who is giving lectures on the islands in the Chamber of Commerce. She is a charming speaker and doing excellent work.

"I cannot close this brief account without expressing to you and your committee the thanks of our Susannah Wesley Home for courtesies extended to us.

"During my entire absence from the islands I was afflicted with severe and continuous homesickness, and words fail to express my joy on again beholding dear old Diamond Head as we sailed into the harbor. Believe me to be, sincerely and gratefully yours,

"METTA S. MACK."

Respectfully submitted,

H. P. WOOD, Secretary.

OPIUM SEIZURE

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examination of each separate package, the net result of which was bringing to light 1100 tins of the drug.

The concealment of the tins was a work of art. The thirty-two packages consisted largely of heavy bundles of Chinese wrapping paper, weighing in

the neighborhood of 200 pounds each. After the paper had been put up in layers a large square was cut in the center of each package, into which the tins were carefully packed. The top layer of paper was then put on, and the bale secured in the usual manner with heavy wrapping twine. When the bales arrived on the pier, they looked just as innocent as thousands of other bales of the same kind which have been examined and passed by the customs men. Even in handling they showed not the slightest indication of having been tampered with, so cleverly was the packing of the tins accomplished.

The other packages of cotton goods and mirrors contained but a small proportion of the drug, as the nature of the packages did not permit of stuffing as readily as the paper.

In connection with the seizure Lim Ngen, to whom the shipment was consigned, his representative, Poo Song Su, and Yay Hoe, a wealthy Chinese manufacturer and importer, have been arrested and are held by the customs authorities pending a further investigation of the case. Yay Hoe, who acted as broker for the importer of the goods, has retained Attorney C. W. O'Brien to defend him. Mr. O'Brien succeeded late yesterday afternoon in obtaining the release of his client on \$2,500 bond.

Much credit is due the examiners

whose vigilance led to the discovery of the concealed drug, as such seizures go far toward discouraging the importation of opium into the islands. The smaller seizures, which have been cleverly characterized as bets with the government in which the importer stands no chance of losing, do not matter so much but when the loss to the importer runs up into the thousands of pesos as it does in this case, the effect on the traffic is sure to be beneficial.

A SANDY BEACH.

There is not a beach on this island equal to that at Haleiwa, and the water is deep enough to allow freedom in swimming. The management is making plans for the entertainment of a large number of guests at the hotel during the holidays, and a number of reservations have already been made. The rates at Haleiwa are low enough to insure a feeling of satisfaction at the economy one may show in selecting a place for a vacation. The meals and service, the rooms and surroundings, are all that one may wish for.

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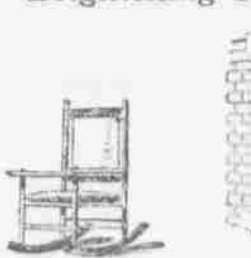
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There're a lot of things need fixing

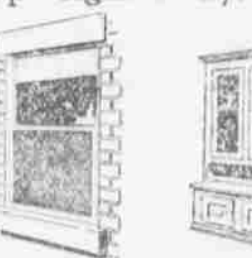
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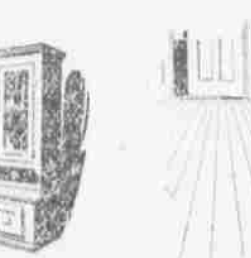
Things around the place will suffer from wear and tear. And after a while they get so shabby that we feel obliged to chuck 'em away and get something new in their place. But it's a mistake and if we only all had the "Brighten Up" habit we'd keep things spick and span all the time by having a pot of paint, a tin of varnish and a brush handy. Just read this and do some "Brightening Up" right away.



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